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PRESIDENT AS ARBITER

Allies Will Ask Roosevelt to Settle Venezuelan Dispute.

BOWEN NEGOTIATIONS OFF

His Note Declining Proposal Causes Irritation—Important Conference to Be Held To-Day—If President Declines, Will Go to Hague.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 5.—Irritated by a note of Minister Bowen, Venezuela's representative, refusing to accept the allies' proposal for a scheme of preferential payments by which Great Britain, Germany and Italy were to receive twenty per cent. and the remaining eight creditor nations ten per cent. of the customs receipts of La Guayra and Porto Cabello, the allied Powers have instructed their representatives here to submit the question of preferential treatment for settlement to President Roosevelt, and in the event that he declines to act as arbiter, to take this and possibly the entire Venezuelan controversy to the Hague for settlement, thereby breaking off negotiations with Mr. Bowen.

At 10 o'clock to-morrow at the British Embassy there will be a conference of the representatives of the allies here. The British ambassador will preside. In the meantime he expects to have an interview with the Secretary of State, whom he will sound as to the probability of the President's acceptance of the allies' request. If President Roosevelt is not disposed to be dragged into the negotiations steps will be taken to draw up a protocol with Mr. Bowen for a reference of the case to the Hague.

The British ambassador was the first of the representatives to receive instructions to this effect, and the matter was discussed at the noonday conference between the three representatives of the allies.

TO RAISE BLOCKADE.
The drafting of the protocol will, it is expected, occupy some time, but it is the understanding that upon submission of the matter either to the President or to the Hague the President's acceptance of the allies' request. If President Roosevelt is not disposed to be dragged into the negotiations steps will be taken to draw up a protocol with Mr. Bowen for a reference of the case to the Hague.

CHILD BADLY BURNED
Little Girl Struck a Match to Set Some Grass on Fire.

(By Associated Press.)
PULASKI, Va., Feb. 5.—Mary Peyton Gray, six year old child of Mr. and Mrs. Peyton Gray, was so badly burned this evening that there is practically no hope of her recovery. She was playing in the yard and struck a match and set the grass on fire. Sidney Steger, passing the house, saw her standing on the porch on fire. He ran to her, called her father and mother, and together they got her out. All three had their hands badly burned.

FORTY-SEVEN MEN WENT TO WATERY GRAVE

(By Associated Press.)
CHICAGO, Ill., Feb. 5.—It is feared that forty-seven men went to their death in the storm which struck Saginaw Bay Tuesday night, says a dispatch from Bay City, Mich. The men were living in shanties built on the ice. The storm burst without warning. It was accompanied by a heavy snowfall, and the waves crashed over the shanties, upon which the fishermen's huts were standing. In a grinding, crunching mass of ice and snow, nothing was seen of the shanties since.

KING'S PROGRESS VERY SATISFACTORY

(By Associated Press.)
LONDON, Feb. 5.—The progress of King Edward's recovery continues satisfactory. He was expected to drive out to-day, but in face of the keen east wind Sir Francis Laking, the King's physician, considered it imprudent. The court will remain at Windsor until Sunday, after which date his movements are uncertain.

HEROISM OF PASSENGER SAVED MANY LIVES

(By Associated Press.)
TACOMA, Wash., Feb. 5.—A dispatch from Wenatchee, Wash., says: The east-bound Great Northern passenger train due here at 3:30 A. M. was

stuck in the tunnel for nearly two hours. The train was hauled by two engines, and the engineers and firemen, both of whom were overcome by gases from the engines. A passenger named Abbott made his way to the engine, released the air brakes and allowed the train to make a gravity run out of the tunnel. When the train reached Wenatchee at 7 o'clock the conductor, and two women passengers were still unconscious. But for the work of Abbott it is believed everybody on the train would have suffocated.

The train was stalled through an accident to the air brakes. The tunnel is nearly two miles long.

HER SHAFT BROKEN

Accident to British Steamer Caused Excitement Among Passengers.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
NORFOLK, Va., Feb. 5.—The British steamer Oceana, from New Haven to New Orleans, was towed into Hampton Roads to-day by the British steamer Nemes, from Victoria, B. C., to New York.

The Oceana's shaft was broken. She sailed from New Haven on January 21 for New Orleans, where she loaded a cargo. When coming to the coast, and when a little south of Hatteras, the main shaft of the Oceana snapped with a loud noise that frightened the engine room crew and created some excitement among the ship's company. Watch was set and signals of distress displayed.

After many hours of watching the Nemes hove in sight and passed a heavy hawser to the Oceana and towed her into Hampton Roads.

OPERA SINGER FALLS

SIX STORIES TO STREET

(By Associated Press.)
ST. LOUIS, Feb. 5.—William Paul, of London, Eng., leading baritone of the Castle Square Opera Company, is dead as the result of a fall from a sixth story window of the Southern Hotel.

The singer was leaning from the window when he is supposed to have lost his balance. He plunged out head foremost, striking the telegraph wires opposite the second story window. This broke his fall, but did not save his life. It was reported that he had fallen from the window, but nothing authoritative can be learned.

WANTS TO SAVE THE STATE'S MONEY

Commissioner Kolner Expects to Urge Geological Survey To-Day in Washington.

Commissioner of Agriculture Kolner expects to go to Washington to-day with manifold matters to attend to. He is deeply interested in his efforts to get the National Government to make a geological survey of Virginia this year, and wishes to get the data to be used in making his exhibit at the St. Louis Exposition.

The Board of Exposition Commissioners will meet again on next Monday. It is likely that at this time other assistants will be chosen, and a plan of procedure in collecting the exhibit material will be evolved.

The School Journal, published by the Department of Public Instruction will be out in a few days now, and Editor McGilvray expects it to be an unusually interesting number.

Chief Chemist Magruder, of the Department of Agriculture, will make the analysis required under the pure food law. If the Opie bill is passed, considerable new apparatus will have to be purchased.

Commissioner of Labor Doherty expects to receive another batch of proofs of his report from the printers to-day, and thinks that he will receive the completed volume very shortly now.

Governor Montague was in his office some hours yesterday. He found time to attend the meeting of the Richmond College trustees, which board he is a most useful member.

Maurice Grau a Very Sick Man.

(By Associated Press.)
NEW YORK, Feb. 5.—Maurice Grau, the opera manager, who has been suffering from shock caused by a carriage accident, was worse to-day. Frank W. Sanger, his business manager, said Mr. Grau is "a very sick man."

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BILLS FOR JAIL WERE ACTED ON

Grounds and Buildings Committee Recommends a Special Appropriation.

At the meeting of the Grounds and Buildings Committee last night the report of the subcommittee of the "jail extras" was received and adopted. The report gives to the Stewart Iron Works the sum of \$5,000 as charges for extra work, which was claimed as due to changes made in the original plans by the City Engineer's office. The claims made by the company amounted to \$7,301, but this was cut down to \$5,000 by the subcommittee.

Assistant City Engineer Wilson presented a claim of \$2,214.82 against the company, which he stated should be paid because of expenses entailed by the delay of six months in the completion of the jail after the contract time. Mr. W. N. Bowman, of the Stewart Iron Company, said that his company could not be held responsible for delays that were caused by failure of prompt action on the part of the engineer's office. He said that certain changes in the plans were not received in time for them to get the roof on before cold weather, and that had such changes been received the jail would have been completed within contract time, and that he would have been no occasion to have asked for extension of time.

"My company has authorized me to accept the report of this subcommittee," said Mr. Bowman, "but we positively refuse to pay this additional sum for delay, when we are not responsible for the delay."

Messrs. Bottom, Washer and Adams agreed that the Stewart Iron Works was not entirely blameless and desired to hold them responsible for all the delay but two months.

This proposition was advocated by Mr. Adams, but it was voted down, and the proposition to reject the charges against the company, made by Mr. Pollock, was adopted by the following vote: Ayes—Burton, Grimes, Gilman, Pollock, Whitte, Noes—Adams, Bottom, Washer.

Mr. Wilson presented other small claims against the company, including such things as leaking closets, bad window locks, broken slabs on washstands, soiled walls, etc. All these things Mr. Bowman agreed to have fixed, and Mr. Pollock moved that the claim of the Stewart Iron Works, the balance on the original contract, amounting to \$7,725.00, and the amount for the extras, be reported to the Council with the recommendation that a special appropriation be made for their payment.

MYSTERY SURROUNDS AN INFANT'S DEATH

The deepest mystery surrounds the discovery of the body of a wee baby yesterday morning in the lot in the rear of No. 16 South Adams Street. It had evidently been left in the place during the night previous, but all efforts of the police of the Third District and detectives from headquarters to ascertain the identity of the body and the person or persons guilty of having left it have so far proved a failure.

The find was made early yesterday morning by tenants of the house at the above stated number. They communicated the fact to the Third Police Station, who in turn notified Coroner Taylor. He visited the scene, and gathering the body up carried it to his office.

The coroner is as much at sea as are the police, but will hold an inquest this morning, when an effort will be made to clear up the mystery.

JUDGE WITT WILL SOON BE ON BENCH

Judge S. B. Witt, who has been at the Virginia Hospital for several days, is recovering from the effects of the operation that was performed recently, and he will be out in a few days.

Church Re-opened.

The work on the pews of the Grove Avenue Baptist Church will be finished to-day, and the auditorium will be re-opened Sunday morning. The seating capacity of the room has been enlarged by filling vacant places with new pews. It will now accommodate one thousand persons.

STRIKE HEARING WAS CONCLUDED

Commission Adjourned Until Monday, When Arguments Will Be Heard.

(By Associated Press.)
PHILADELPHIA, Pa., Feb. 5.—After two days of exactly duty-free days, the Anthracite Coal-Strike Commission concluded the hearing of witnesses at five o'clock this afternoon and adjourned until next Monday, when it will begin to hear the arguments of counsel representing the several sides. The arguments will take up five and a half days, the operators having been assigned three days and the miners the remainder of the time. To-day's sessions were taken up in hearing the last witnesses presented by the miners in rebuttal. Much of it related to the alleged unequal distribution of mine cars, nearly a dozen witnesses testifying that they could load more cars than the companies furnished them.

TRIGG YARDS AT A CRISIS

Future Plans of Company Soon to Be Announced.

A MILLION OF NEW MONEY

This Princely Sum Has Been Secured for Reorganization—"Our Work is Done," Says Mr. Boyd—"Will Know in Two or Three Days."

That the Trigg Shipbuilding Company will begin work again in three or four weeks is now well-nigh certain and now almost universally believed.

Mr. James N. Boyd and Mr. J. Jordan Leake give them color.

Mr. Boyd said that his work had been completed, and that only legal details were now to be cleared up before the wheels of machinery would again turn. Mr. Boyd and Mr. Fritz Sitterding were two of a committee to represent the Richmond creditors of the company and to meet a similar committee from the Northern creditors.

MILLION IN NEW MONEY.

A gentleman in position to know stated yesterday that he was reliably informed that \$1,000,000 in new money had been secured in relieving the company of the temporary embarrassment and giving it such impetus as would insure its ready and complete success.

Another report, which also bears the stamp of reliability is to the effect that the only remaining matter to be attended to is securing the signatures of the lien-supply creditors to the proposed terms of settlement.

The plan of reorganization seems to be that individuals, or a corporation, not the United States Shipping Combine, however, have agreed to put up the new money, provided the lien-supply creditors are willing to the terms already outlined. Some have signed and some have not. But the matter will be settled in a day or two. Mr. Leake is authority for this statement.

CRISIS APPROACHING.

Mr. Leake was seen at his office yesterday afternoon and asked directly if the matter of reorganization was to be regarded as vague and shadowy, and the time when he could have something definite to say was in the far distance. He replied that it was not; on the other hand, he thought that in the next two or three days it would be settled.

The debts of the company are fixed at \$400,000. If the creditors get one-third in cash, this would mean but \$133,000, and the remaining \$267,000 would be available as the working capital of the plant. Under economical management abundant success is believed by all to be attainable.

The statement has been made positively by one who certainly does know that the United States Shipping Combine has nothing to do with the reorganization. If it has, it is acting through others and its hands have not been seen.

Judge Grinnam, of the Chancery Court, yesterday morning signed a decree authorizing Mr. T. Myers, receiver for the Trigg Company, to employ certain heads of departments at the shipyards.

The order will have the effect of giving work to fully a hundred men, whose pay will be a handsome diamond engagement ring was buried with her. It was evidently to recover this that the grave was opened. The ring had within the initials "C" and "W," and can be readily identified. A jeweler having by mistake first put in the letter "M." This was later rectified, but under a strong magnifying glass the "M" can still be seen.

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The authorities of Richmond, Baltimore and other places have been notified and the criminals may be captured while trying to pawn the ring.

BANQUET LAST NIGHT

An Occasion of Much Pleasure at the Dairy Lunch Rooms.

In celebration of the first anniversary of their respective organizations the Tinners and Plumbers gave a banquet last night in the Richmond Dairy Lunch rooms. There were present about one hundred members of the two organizations, including invited guests, who were the officers of the Central Trade and Labor Council and the press of the city.

Mr. M. R. Pace acted as toastmaster, and after the assemblage had partaken of a menu which consisted of the delicacies of the season, toasts were responded to by the following well known men among the labor unionists of the city: President B. P. Dollard.

"The Brewery Workers," Vice-President J. M. Ryall.

"Unionism," W. H. Mullen.

"The Bookbinders," Joseph B. Portch.

"The Press," Sidney Cates.

All of the speeches were well received. The committee having the banquet in charge were: Messrs. B. C. Hicks, chairman, J. W. McCabe, H. A. Lupton and George A. Tye.

STRONG TALK FOR THE BIG EXPOSITION

General Lee, Mr. Ellyson and Others Earnestly Advocate the Bill.

The Finance Committee of the House heard General Fitzhugh Lee and other prominent gentlemen connected with the proposed Jamestown Exposition yesterday, and took the matter of appropriating \$300,000 for the great show under advisement, and it will probably not be settled for some days yet. General Lee was the principal speaker at the final hearing, and he declared that the project gave every promise of being a great success from every point of view. The popular president asserted it as his belief that 50,000,000 people would attend the exposition, and that they would spend on an average of \$5 each, making \$250,000,000 to be spent in the State.

He spoke of the increased railroad receipts and many other respect in which the State would be benefited, and said he was sure Congress would respond liberally to the needs of the company at the proper time.

Mr. C. B. Sherwood, of Portsmouth, and Hon. J. Taylor Ellyson, of this city, followed in stirring addresses, in which they earnestly urged the passage of the bill, and pointed out the advantages it would bring to the people of Virginia. There will be no more argument on the bill, and a favorable report is expected from the committee in a short time.

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REWARD OFFERED FOR THE GHOULS

Mr. Stengle Gives Further Particulars of the Robbery in Onancock Cemetery.

Mr. Charles I. Stengle, editor of the Fredericksburg Free Lance, the grave of whose first wife in Onancock Cemetery was recently broken into, was in Richmond yesterday. He has offered a reward of \$25 for the capture of the ghouls, and saw the Governor in reference to an additional sum from the State. This will doubtless soon be offered.

Mr. Stengle died about six years ago at Onancock for interment, and the casket was opened at the cemetery in order that friends might take a last look at the remains. It thus became generally known that a handsome diamond engagement ring was buried with her. It was evidently to recover this that the grave was opened. The ring had within the initials "C" and "W," and can be readily identified. A jeweler having by mistake first put in the letter "M." This was later rectified, but under a strong magnifying glass the "M" can still be seen.

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TERRIFIC WINDSTORM SWEPT METROPOLIS

(By Associated Press.)
NEW YORK, Feb. 5.—A terrific wind-storm prevailed in this city throughout the entire day. The gale blew at the rate of sixty miles an hour, and in the vicinity of the new famous Flat Iron building no one could stand. Scores of persons were blown from their feet at this place.

DEATH OF FORMER U. S. SENATOR DAWES

(By Associated Press.)
PITTSFIELD, MASS., Feb. 5.—Ex-United States Senator Henry Laurons Dawes died at 5:15 o'clock this morning in his home in this city.

THE FUNERAL OF A. J. FORD TO-DAY

Brief Services to Be Conducted in Hollywood by Rev. J. B. Hawthorne.

The remains of the late A. J. Ford will reach here from Gloucester county at 9:15 o'clock this morning over the Southern Railway from Wood. They will be met at the Southern Railway Station by the pall-bearers and escorted to the Ford vault, in Hollywood Cemetery, where brief religious exercises will be held, conducted by the Rev. Dr. J. B. Hawthorne. The request is made that no flowers be sent.

It will be a very simple funeral, such as Mr. Ford's most intimate friends knew he desired.

The following gentlemen will act as pall-bearers: Judge Edmund Waddill, Jr., Mr. Preston Cooke, Mr. Edgar Allan, Mr. John Mann, Jr., Mr. F. L. Cabell, Mr. J. C. Jopling, Mr. Robert T. McLeod and Mr. John T. Goddin.

The remains will be placed in the Ford vault.

OBITUARY.

David Goode.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
SKINQUARTER, Va., Feb. 5.—David Goode died on Sunday morning, Feb. 5, at the age of 81 years and 10 months. He was one of the oldest and best citizens of this community. He was widely known throughout the county for his many noble traits of character and his firm and unswerving fidelity to duty in public as well as private life. He had been confined to his home for only the last few months.

Mr. Goode was born at the family home only a half mile distant from his late residence, March 17, 1817. His grandfathers were Elder John Goode, of Chesterfield county, and Elder Benjamin Watkins, of Powhatan, Va. His father was Elder Joseph Goode, of Chesterfield, and his mother, Judith Watkins Goode, of Powhatan. He was a high type of the old Virginia gentleman.

He was a life-long Democrat, and served his people faithfully in whatever position they placed him.

He was for many years a consistent, active member and honored deacon of Skinquarter Baptist Church, having united with this church in 1856.

In 1850 he married Miss Mary Jane Graves, of Amelia county, who died June 20, 1897.

Six children survive him. One son, Mr. W. L. Goode, of this place, and five daughters, Mrs. Berger, of Powhatan; Mrs. James Martin, of Farmville; Mrs. Joe T. Goode, of Chesterfield, and Misses Etta and Sallie Goode.

The remains were interred in the family burying ground by the side of his wife, when services were conducted by his pastor.

The following were pall-bearers: Honorary—Messrs. A. A. Phaup, Andrew Johnston, William Spears, Dr. Markham, J. C. Condy, John Taylor, W. T. Woodin and Abner Forster. Active—Messrs. J. H. Bally, Sr., Dr. L. A. Sims, W. E. Sims, George Forster, James Boss and Bill Wilkinson.

William R. Clarke.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
PROVIDENCE, R. I., Feb. 5.—Mr. William R. Clarke, of Bittersville, New Kent county, a most highly respected old gentleman, died after a brief illness on January 25th, in the seventy-fourth year of his age. He was a very noted old gentleman. Up to ten days of his death he was able to get about. It was at the age of thirty he was a brave soldier in the war of 1861, belonging to the Sixty-eighth Virginia Regiment, New Kent County. Only a very few of his old comrades are left. He was three times married. A widow and five children survive him. His wife, Mrs. Thomas Sherman, of Bittersville; Mrs. John W. Harmon, of New Kent; Mrs. J. O. Chandler, of New Kent; Mrs. J. B. Richardson, of Providence Forge; Milton Clarke, of Bittersville, and fourteen grandchildren. Mr. Clarke was interred at his burial and the interment was made in the old family burying ground.

Edward F. Sneed.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
LYNCHBURG, Va., Feb. 5.—Edward F. Sneed, son of the late Dr. E. F. Sneed, died at his home here to-day, aged twenty-nine years. He was a native of this county, and was educated at the Allegheny Institute, Roanoke. For several years he was traveling salesman, but more recently he was engaged in business as a real-estate agent. His wife, who was Miss May Cecilia Reaves, of Athens, Ga., he is survived by an infant daughter; also by his mother, Mrs. Mary L. Sneed, of Lynchburg, and a brother, Mr. William C. Sneed, of Philadelphia.

John P. Goggin.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
ROANOKE, Va., Feb. 5.—John P. Goggin died at his home from paralysis this morning, aged sixty-nine years. He was stricken with paralysis last night and grew rapidly worse until death came. The deceased was a son of the late Hon. John L. Goggin, a native of Lynchburg, and an old Confederate soldier, a member of William Watts Camp. He is survived by his wife and four children. His remains will be taken to Bedford for interment.

Thomas Dwyer.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
LURAY, Va., Feb. 5.—Thomas Dwyer, of Illinois, died in Rapidan, Va., county yesterday. Mr. Dwyer was a native of that county, but went West many years ago, where he accumulated a considerable fortune. He went to Rapidan a few weeks ago for the purpose of finding if possible some of his many relatives who lived in that county more than a half century ago. He died quite suddenly near the old homestead. His remains will be shipped to Chicago, Ill., for interment.

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